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LETTER TO EXAMINER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

July 9, 2001

Dear Sir:

In light of the Interview Summary dated July 9, 2001, attached hereto is a Terminal Disclaimer to overcome the obviousness-type double patenting rejections.

An early and favorable action on the merits is earnestly solicited.

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Respectfully submitted

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